

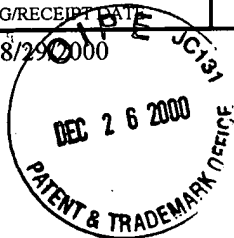


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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Group Art Unit: 1651

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For: COMPOSITION AND METHOD
FOR TREATMENT OF
CONDITIONS HAVING AN
INFLAMMATORY COMPONENT

Dated: December 22, 2000

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION - FILING DATED GRANTED**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted, dated November 3, 2000, enclosed herewith are the following:

1. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application - Filing Date Granted.
2. A check in the amount of \$130.00 covering the surcharge for filing a late oath or declaration as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e).
3. A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by each of the inventors.

An assignment document executed by each of the Assignees is being concurrently filed with this response in a separate correspondence to the Assignment Division, along with the required Recordation Form Cover Sheet and fee of \$40.00.

If any additional fees are due or an overpayment has been made, please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-2461 or credit our Deposit Account for such sum. A duplicate copy of his sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,



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